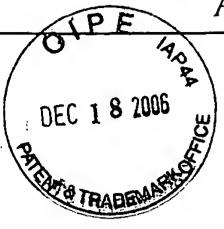
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U.S. Application No. 10/579,500

Filed: May 16, 2006

Title: Methods and Agents for Screening for Compounds Capable

of Modulating Her2 Expression

Applicants: Anuradha MEHTA et al. Atty. Docket: 19025.053/P30383US01

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- 2. a Form PTO-1449 (citing and supplying one reference); and
- 3. a return postcard.

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Applicants do not believe any fees are due in conjunction with this filing. However, if any fees are required in the present application, including any fees for extensions of time, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Arnold & Porter LLP Deposit Account No. 50-2387 referencing matter number 19025.053. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

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